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SUBJECT: DOMINICAN AMBASSADOR DISCUSSES BALAGUER REELECTION TRY

ADDRESSEES' ATTENTION IS INVITED TO FBIS PUERTO RICO PICKUP DTG
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QUOTING

STATEMENT ON PRESIDENT BALAGUER REELECTION TRY BY DOMINICAN
REPUBLIC

AMBASSADOR TO VENEZUELA DURING LOCAL TV INTERVIEW. AMBASSADOR
RAFAEL BONILLA AYBAR IS QUOTED AS SAYING APRIL 11 THAT BALAGUER WILL
SEEK REELECTION NEXT YEAR, THAT HE IS ASSURED OF REELECTION SHOULD
HE DECIDE TO BE CANDIDATE AND THAT HIS CHARISMA IS WHAT CAUSES
OPPOSITION TO TRY TO DISSUADE HIM FROM REELECTION ATTEMPT. BONILLA
REPORTEDLY STATED BALAGUER HIMSELF WOULD GIVE FINAL WORD ON SUBJEC
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ASKED ABOUT JUAN BOSCH, BONILLA IS REPORTED TO HAVE SAID HE IS HIDING
NOT FROM GOVERNMENT PERSECUTION BUT FROM FORMER SUPPORTERS WHO
WANT TO KNOW WHY HE DID NOT SUPPORT GUERRILLAS LAST FEBRUARY.
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